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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir

This is in response to the NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS dated

August 3, 2006, and is submitted before the extended due date of March 3, 2007. A constructive Petition under 1.136(a)(3) for a five-month extension of time and the requisite fee of \$2160.00 under 1.17(a)(5) are enclosed herewith. Applicants submit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements (2 pgs);
- ☑ Declaration for Utility Patent Application (10 pgs);
- Power of Attorney by Assignee (2 pgs); and
- Submission Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) (2 pgs).

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing docket number 02351.0005.PCUS00.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/02/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/02/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/02/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/26/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/02/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/02/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- . To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

\$130 Surcharge.



ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDOMMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filling a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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